

# Jacksonville Daily Journal.

JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS, SATURDAY MORNING, JANUARY 16, 1904.

## BRYAN TALKS OF VICTORY

### DEMOCRATIC LEADER IS CONFIDENT

Says Everything Points to Victory for His Party—May Become Editor of New Daily Paper at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Jan. 15.—Everything points to victory, said Wm. J. Bryan, who spent an hour in St. Louis to day enroute home to Lincoln, in answer to a question as to the democratic national outlook. "I think we will win. I'm now convinced that a dark horse will capture the nomination."

Bryan said he was not advocating the nomination of any person and was avoiding any expression of preference for anybody. He said he already had made it plain he is not a candidate and could imagine no circumstances under which it might be wise or necessary for him to be a candidate. He stated he still believes in free silver, but the movement was started at the recent general conference of the church body, and sufficient aid has already been secured to insure the ultimate success of the undertaking.

The proposed home will be located at Elkhorn, Macoupin county, and already twenty acres of land have been bought, the purchase price being \$3,000. The first building is to cost \$6,000 and the management expects to begin the work of construction as soon as the weather will permit.

Indianapolis, Jan. 15.—A New's special from Evansville says: Before leaving here Wm. J. Bryan confided to several local democratic leaders he will become editor of a new daily paper at St. Louis this year. It is said William R. Hearst will be associated with Bryan in the new venture.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Wm. J. Bryan denies any knowledge of a proposed early paper at St. Louis during the Democratic convention, but says he will have a daily of his own there at that time; he also denies that he was "Convinced" that a dark horse will capture the nomination.

BUXTON WILL IS SUSTAINED.—Virginia, Jan. 5.—After being out all night a jury in the circuit court Thursday morning gave a verdict sustaining the will in the Buxton case. The case took three days to hear and was hotly contested.

It was brought by Oscar Powell, grandson of the testator, Singleton Buxton, who died at his home west of this city in June, 1902, leaving an estate valued at \$50,000 to his widow, to be divided at her death between his six surviving children. Powell, who is the son of a daughter, now deceased, who married against her father's wishes, was cut out with a bequest of \$5.

Buxton was one of the early residents of this section and in spite of the fact that he could neither read nor write was a shrewd and successful farmer and stock raiser and amassed considerable wealth.

While he was very feeble in the last few years of his life, the complainant failed to convince the jury that his mind was in any way impaired when he made the will, in June, 1899.

STRAIGHTENS TANGLE.

Virginia, Jan. 15.—Nancy A. Pickle has been granted a divorce in the circuit court from Burdett Pickle. She is the wife of Andrew Morgan, a farmer living a few miles north of this city, and supposed when she married him early in the sixties that her first husband was dead.

A son of the first husband, William Pickle, of Jacksonville, was dissatisfied with the division of some property between himself and the two children of the second marriage, James Morgan, a farmer of this county, and Mrs. Allison, of Chillicothe, and raised the question of the validity of the transfer by her on account of the fact that Burdett Pickle was alive when she married Morgan.

It was shown by witnesses in the court that Pickle appeared here years after his wife married Morgan, although his present whereabouts are unknown.

TREASURER GONE.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 15.—The continued absence of David C. Clemow, supreme president of the Order of Mutual Protection and financial officer of several other organizations, is causing anxiety. He was for nine years banker of Baker camp, Modern Woodmen, and was defeated at the last election, failing to turn over \$1,000 supposed to be in his possession.

The local lodge of the Order of Mutual Protection is looking for \$20 and friendship encampment of Odd Fellows for \$100. A casualty company is on his bond.

CRIPPLED FOR LIFE.

Petersburg, Ill., Jan. 15.—Elmer Gordon, a young man about 19 years old, had the leaders in both his legs broken while coasting down hill. He started at the top of the hill with full speed, when he became excited and could not control of his sled which threw him into a ditch, breaking the leaders in both legs. He was not hurt otherwise, but it is said that he will probably be crippled for life.

ELECT A PRESIDENT.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 15.—The International Union of Postoffice department Clerks and Building Laborers to day elected Herman Lillian, of Chicago, president.

## MAKE A CHANGE

Prohibition Convention Will Be Held in Indianapolis Instead of Kansas City.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—The national executive committee of the Prohibition party decided to change the place of the national convention from Kansas City to Indianapolis. The committee was not satisfied with Kansas City's guarantee of ability to take care of the convention.

DUNKARDS TO ESTABLISH HOME.

Salem, Ill., Jan. 15.—The German Baptists of Illinois, familiarly known as the Dunkards, are now engaged in the work of collecting funds for the establishment of an old folks' and orphans' home.

The movement was started at the recent general conference of the church body, and sufficient aid has already been secured to insure the ultimate success of the undertaking.

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JACOB HERSHBERGER, of this city is secretary of the association, and he is visiting the various congregations in Illinois for the purpose of soliciting funds.

When completed this home will furnish protection for the needy of the German Baptist denomination in particular, but its doors will be opened to the deserving poor, no matter what their church affiliation may be.

BUSHNELL'S REMAINS.

Columbus, Jan. 15.—The remains of former Governor Bushnell were returned to Springfield to day where the funeral will occur Monday or Tuesday.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Jan. 15.—The body of former Governor Bushnell arrived from Columbus this afternoon. Bells were tolled and an artillery salute fired. Under escort of militia, Grand Army and several thousand citizens the body was taken to the late residence of the deceased. The funeral will be held Monday.

BANKRUPTCY HEARING.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—The examination of witnesses regarding the private interests of James T. Watson, former president of Porter Bros' Fruit company, began to day before Referee Wren. During the hearing the declaration was made by Attorney Bach that Watson had deposited \$20,000 to his private account at \$2,000 to his private bank account in eleven years. Further examination of witnesses will be held Jan. 26. Watson is to take the witness stand Feb. 8 to testify as to his liabilities and assets. add WAS.

CHAPTER OF BLACK EAGLE.

Berlin, Jan. 15.—Emperor William, the great grandson of the empire, and some foreign princes and ambassador took part to day in a meeting of the Chapter of the Black Eagle, which was preceded by a semi-public procession from one apartment of the castle to the White Hall. Prince Henry of the Netherlands, Hereditary Prince William von Hohenzollern and Duke Henry of Mecklenburg were invested with the order.

BOY COLLAPSED.

Pleasant Plains, Ill., Jan. 15.—As a result of cigarette smoking Harry Burmaster 12 years of age, son of William Burmaster, of this place, fell in a fainting spell in John Carter's store last night, and for awhile it was thought that he would not recover. A physician was called and after working over the boy for a long time he was finally restored. The physician after a careful examination reported that excessive cigarette smoking was the cause of the fainting spell.

SHARPERS WORK SOLDIERS.

Quincy, Ill., Jan. 15.—During the past week the inmates of the State Soldiers' home received their quarterly pensions, which amounts to between \$40,000 and \$50,000. It has been observed that suspicion looking characters endeavor to associate with the old soldiers at such times, in order to fleece them of their funds. Two men, William Thompson, alias Grogan, and Thomas Harrington, were arrested here Wednesday as suspects. It has been ascertained that Thompson has done several terms in the Chester penitentiary, and his picture is also in the rogues' gallery as a convict, sent from Jacksonville to Joliet, at which penitentiary he served three terms. Both men will be held under a charge of vagrancy.

AN ULLTIMATUM.

Rome, Jan. 15.—The French government has presented the Vatican with a note in the nature of an ultimatum regarding the appointment of bishops to five vacant French sees, substantially saying that either the pope must approve the selections of the French government or they will be announced officially without approbation of the holiness. In addition the papal nuncio will be asked to leave Paris and carry on his functions to collect Peter's pence.

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## PLACED IN JAIL AGAIN

A FORMER CONGRESSMAN ARRESTED

John M. Glover Wrote Threatening Letter to Commander of State Troops at Cripple Creek Colorado.

Cripple Creek, Jan. 15.—John M. Glover, former congressman from Missouri, was again arrested by a military squad to day and placed in the county jail. Glover, who fought the military troops a week ago and who was shot in the arm, was arrested on an order from Commander Verdeberg because of a threatening letter sent that officer. This letter, besides notifying Verdeberg that he no longer would be bound by the terms of his parole, contained this statement:

"It is perhaps only fair to add that I intend to push you and your accessories above and below, before and behind, to the full limit of civil and criminal law of state and federal."

Glover did not arrest, but protested against being placed in jail. No charge was preferred against him. At the jail Glover said his counsel would begin proceedings in the United States circuit court against Governor Peabody, state military authorities and others under the civil rights act, alleging conspiracy to deprive him of his rights under the federal constitution.

STUDENT CONFESSIONS THEFT.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Jan. 15.—James Hanby, a junior law student at the University of Michigan, was arrested to day and confessed to stealing \$5 worth of students' books. He is a well to do Philadelphia boy. He stole the books from his best friends, and from students to whom he had often loaned more money than the stolen books were worth. He wrote a check for \$50 on a Philadelphia bank for his bond.

## WASHINGTON NEWS

Washington, Jan. 15.—To day's session of the senate began with the passage of a number of bills on the calendar and closed in a like manner. The intervening time was given over to a speech by Teller on the Panama canal question. Teller contended the course of the president in connection with the recent revolt in Panama had been contrary to precedent and in contravention of international laws.

The senate adjourned until Monday.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Ten ballots were taken to day by the Iowa congressional delegation in an effort to settle the contest over the federal judgeship for the northern district of that state. No agreement was reached and adjournment was taken until Monday.

Secretary Hay and the Russian ambassador had a long and special conference to day before Referee Wren. During the hearing the declaration was made by Attorney Bach that Watson had deposited \$20,000 to his private account bank in eleven years. Further examination of witnesses will be held Jan. 26. Watson is to take the witness stand Feb. 8 to testify as to his liabilities and assets. add WAS.

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Hayne of the district court, a witness against J. Shores, chief counsel for the Amalgamated Copper company, now on trial before Judge McClellan, in disbarment proceedings on a charge of alleged attempted bribery of Judge Hayne in the famous Minnie Healy mine case, created a sensation in court to day by displaying a revolver. He was promptly disarmed. He said he carried the weapon for protection.

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OVERDUE STEAMER ARRIVES.

Philadelphia, Jan. 15.—The overdue Red Star steamship Nordland passed in the Delaware breakwater at 10 o'clock to day. The captain signalled "All well."

Delay to the Nordland, as reported by Captain Roberts, was due to the breaking of an eccentric strap on the engine. During the time required to make the necessary repairs there was practically no excitement among the passengers.

IN HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Alferd John Brennan of the eighteenth ward was to night taken to the city house of correction to serve one year for violation of election laws. The specific charge against Brennan was that in the last judicial election in the spring of 1903 he purchased votes in his ward in the interest of Judge Hailey. At the time of Brennan's conviction Herbert E. Kent and Charles McCarle were also convicted of the same offense and received shorter sentences.

BANK CLEARINGS.

New York, Jan. 15.—The total bank clearings compiled by Bradstreet for the last week were \$2,265,794.27, a decrease of 18.8 per cent compared with the corresponding week last year.

HARTY ARRIVES AT MANILA.

Manila, Jan. 15.—Right Rev. J. J. Harty, the newly appointed Catholic archbishop of Manila, arrived here to day.

MANAGER OF UNION PACIFIC.

Omaha, Jan. 15.—W. H. Bancroft has been appointed general manager of the Union Pacific railroad with headquarters at Omaha.

## NIGHT OF EXCITEMENT

Trouble in Minnesota Town Over Shooting Affair in a Gambling House.

Black Duck, Minn., Jan. 15.—Great excitement prevailed all night in Kellher, a new border town at the terminal of the Minnesota & International railroad, twenty miles north of here, over a shooting affair which started in a gambling house over a game of cards. The house was surrounded all night by a score of armed men, who were trying to get a man named Plummer and a woman companion, who had driven the proprietor and a number of inmates from the place at the point of guns and wrecked the interior of the house with axes. The town council assembled a posse, furnishing each man with a gun and quart bottles of whisky, the latter as a stimulant against cold. Many shots were exchanged between the posse and besieged couple, the town marshal being wounded. At last accounts a truce had been arranged and the sheriff from Beverley had been summoned.

FIREMEN TESTIFY

Chicago, Jan. 15.—To day's session of inquiry into the theatre fire was given over to witnesses from the fire department. Chief Misham and several of his highest ranking assistants were witnesses.

Misham declared that in his opinion it was the duty of the building commissioner to report to him if fire protection in a theatre was inadequate. No report had ever been made to him and he had taken no action in the matter. It had been the custom of the fire department to inspect theatre or public buildings for fire protection, unless a report was made from the office of the building commissioner.

In this connection it may be recalled that Building Commissioner Williams testified that it was not the business of his office to report fire protection, but that it was a matter belonging entirely to the fire department.

John Cumpton, first assistant fire marshal, said he examined conditions in the theatre prior to the opening and made a number of suggestions for necessary additions to fire protection and said the theatre fireman told him the company intended to put in all appliances necessary.

John Hanna, chief of the first battalion of the fire department, told of his going to the theatre as soon as the alarm was received and of the panic and saving of lives by firemen. He was on the stage a few days previous to the fire and while he considered fire protection inadequate, made no report, because he did not consider it his business to do so.

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DOWIE WILL SAIL JAN. 21.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 15.—John Alexander Dowie and party has arrived here. He will sail for Australia from San Francisco on Jan. 21 for his trip around the world, expecting to return on June 20. He said to day that he is planning to build a Zion City either on the gulf or somewhere on the Pacific coast.

RE-ELECTED OLD OFFICERS.

Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 15.—The convening of the votes of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers of America has been completed by the international executive committee, who announced to day that all general officers were re-elected for two years. The convention has been adjourned.

ARE NOW CONVICTS.

Springfield, Jan. 15.—In the United States district court to day Jack Rumer and John Whaley were each sentenced to three years in Chester penitentiary, and Walter McCaslin to eighteen months for robbing the postoffice at Noble, Dec. 3, 1903. Each was also sentenced

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### JAPAN WILL FIGHT

So Says a Native of the Country  
—Talks of Expected Conflict  
With Russia

Tokuji Sugina, of Tokio, Japan, is a student at the Bloomington high school and his opinions on the impending war between Japan and Russia, and of the condition of his native country and the sentiment of the people are of great interest at this time. He has been in this country for a year and a half, and has acquired remarkably well the use of the English language. He recently gave the following interview to the Bloomington "Pantagraph":

"We have been expecting war with Russia. Indeed the trouble between my country and Russia dates from 1875, and arose from the questions as to which nation the island of Saghalin belonged. In that year it was decided that both had a claim to its possession. At that time Japan was very busy, having just opened itself to the world, with the result that Russia occupied the island and Japan received as its share a few uninhabited and valueless islands. At that time the feeling against Russia was very bitter, and we felt that we must watch Russia very closely."

EIGHTH YEAR PREPARATION.

"As a result of the Japanese-Chinese war, eight years ago we got Shantung, but have been obliged to return it on account of the interference of Russia, whose pretext it was that the possession of this land by Japan was not conducive to peace in the far east. Although at that time feeling ran high, my country could not fight for we were not strong enough, and submitted. Ever since then we have been expecting trouble. We are not revengeful, but Russia stands in the way of Japan's progress. We are glad to have a peaceful nation, such as the United States, occupy the Philippines and be our neighbor, but with Russia it is different. We have been preparing a strong army and navy, not so much for fighting as to preserve peace."

"During the Boxer outbreak Russian sent troops to protect her interests and properties in Manchuria, and during this trouble she occupied this country. When the trouble was over Japan, England and America demanded that Russia vacate, and that the troops be withdrawn and a port opened to the trade of the world. But Russia acted as if she intended to stay forever. Before the occupation by Russia of Manchuria and Port Arthur she had only one seaport, Vladivostock, which is inferior and practically worthless in winter. When the Japanese saw this action they did not believe that Russia intended to stop there and that her conduct is a menace to peace in the east.

THE SITUATION IN JAPAN.

"Now in our country there are three great parts and powers of the government. First the administrative officers themselves; secondly, the congress of the people, and thirdly, certain statesmen, who having done much for the restoration of their country, though no longer in office are very powerful. Among these are Marquis Ito and Marquis Yamagata. This morning I received a Japanese magazine, which tells of the situation and of the feeling of the people towards the question of war with Russia.

"As a statesman Marquis Ito is not aggressive. Not only now, but at the time of the China-Japan war, did he show this trait. He is afraid to fight. He is a great favor of the court and clever, but not bold and brave. The attitude of the government is chiefly that of the prime minister, Katsura, a soldier, who is not afraid. The cabinet is rather inclined towards war, but what do the people want? Theirs is rather an unusual case. Not only the partisans but business men, scholars and other classes who are not much interested in political affairs are taking a vital interest in this matter and are pushing the government to fight. But there seems to be doubts as to the attitude of the powerful statesmen. The magazine says: 'They are trying to check the impulses of the people and to enjoin the government from war.'

THINKS WAR WILL COME.

"In my opinion there is great possibility of war soon. Of course it has not been a very long time since our country was opened, and in that period we have done so much toward adopting the highest standards of civilization, and there also remains much to be accomplished along these lines, meaning great expense and burden, for such a comparatively poor country as Japan. If it can be avoided we are willing not to have war, but our feeling is that war must sometime come between our country and Russia sooner or later. And the sooner the better for Japan if it must come. This time of the year is rather favorable for Japan, as Russia can't use the Siberian railway on account of the deep snow, at least the system is crippled during these months about to come. Vladivostock, their seaport, will also soon be ice locked. Russia seems to want to put off the conflict till the spring, when she can use these two important factors in such a war, but I don't believe we can wait."

AS TO OUTCOME.

"As to the outcome of such a war I can't say, but before the war with China no one thought Japan could beat the Chinese. I think, however,

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that the Japanese, however, have a very good show for success. Since the war eight years ago she has thoroughly prepared herself for just such an emergency. At the time of the Boxer trouble, when our soldiers fought side by side with the English and American troops, their ability as fighters was first recognized. A hard struggle is to be expected, but we feel somehow, that we can defeat Russia. Our military system is similar to that of Germany and France. Every male of a certain age must enter the army and serve a few years. In every high school the pupils are drilled and receive instruction in tactics. Japan could send 3,000,000 troops to Manchuria without much difficulty. Our naval force is a little bigger, or at least as large and powerful as Russia's."

### ST. LOUIS FAIR

Montana State Building Will  
Be after Unique Plan.

St. Louis, Jan. 15.—The Montana state building at the world's fair will be more than a club house to the visitors and their friends from that state. Its walls will be adorned with such a profusion of handsome paintings that it will be a veritable art gallery as well. Edgar S. Paxson an artist for Butte, whose genius has been recognized in the eastern art centers will, among other works, exhibit his famous painting entitled, "Seeking Admission to Stockade."

This wonderfully realistic painting tells the story of an Indian family standing before a trapper's stockade with the snow piled deep on the earth asking admission for the night. The lights show that the evening is upon them, and the cold is so apparent that one feels chilly as he looks upon the picture. The stockade is built high, with a blockhouse on each corner from which to shoot Indians in case of an attack.

In the doorway of this stockade stands a trapper dressed in the regular long fur coat and beaver cap. He is listening to the Indian who wants shelter for his squaw, papoose, pony and dogs. The Indian's outfit consists of a "travoir" made with two poles spread apart and skins tied across them. At the other end the poles are crossed over the back of a skinny pony which drags the "travoir." On this queer drag is placed the little Indian child and a litter of pups and the tepee utensils. Walking is a miserable squaw, half-drawn in a blanket, her hair roughly braided on each side of her head. Her face is lined with a thousand wrinkles, and she looks half starved. Following closely behind is the wolf-like looking mother-dog, keeping a sharp eye on the puppies.

### TEACHERS HAVE SLED RIDE

The teachers of the Third ward Franklin school, enjoyed a most delightful outing last evening. After the regular meeting of the reading circle which was held at the home of Miss Elizabeth Auhaut, on Hardin avenue, the teachers with their friends went for a bob sled ride. After a long and jolly ride, they repaired to the home of the hostess where they were served with an elaborate luncheon.

### A TEXAS WONDER.

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, "All's Great Discovery," cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women; regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist it will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle will in two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. box 29, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by J. A. Obermeyer, City Drug Store.

### READ THIS.

Jacksonville, Ill., Aug. 3, 1901.—For many years we have had from various dealers and have sold hundreds of dollars worth of various doctors, with but little success. I was recommended to try a bottle of Texas Wonder, "All's Great Discovery" and will cheerfully certify to the public that it did me more good than any other medicine I have ever taken. I have another man I have purchased many of my friends to try it.

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### GEN. BLACK RESIGNS

Position on Vicksburg Military Park Commission.

Judge T. B. Oscar has received the following communication from Gen. John C. Black:

Headquarters of the Grand Army of the Republic, Office of the commander in chief, Chicago, Ill., Jan. 14, 1904. Illinois Vicksburg Military Park Commission;

Gentlemen and friends—I have this day forwarded to the governor my resignation as a member of our commission.

I have done this with deep personal regret, but the impracticability of discharging the duties of a commissioner, as well as those others which are now incumbent upon me, induces this step.

I have very great pride in what has been accomplished, and sincere hope in what is to be accomplished by the commission. Under your intelligent and affectionate work is to arise a battle monument, which for beauty and durability will become marked throughout the world. It is a great happiness to me that I have been able to stay in your commission until this point has been reached, and, I bid you, and each of you now an official farewell, knowing that the good work will progress to its ultimate complete establishment, and success, and I trust that each and every one of you may remain connected with the commission until you can deliver the great work to the state and to the nation, and say this is the tribute paid by our mighty commonwealth to its historic sons.

Very sincerely your friend,

John G. Black.

### WORLD'S FAIR NOTES.

A world's congress of fraternities will be held at the world's fair the last week of September, 1904.

The cadets of the Culver military academy, of Culver, Ind., will camp at the world's fair from May 23 to June 6, inclusive.

A 5,000 horse-power engine is being installed in Machinery hall at the world's fair.

A practical working laboratory for assaying minerals will be an exhibit of the Colorado School of Mines at the world's fair. It will be operated by students. The Colorado commission has appropriated \$3,000 for the exhibit.

Colorado will exhibit potatoes at the world's fair of monstrous proportions. The commission has 500 tubers that aggregate a ton in weight.

The heaviest weighs ten pounds and the lightest one three and one-half pounds.

A Tell City, Ind. Furniture factory is making what is said to be the largest chair in the world. This piece of furniture will be exhibited in the Varied Industries' palace at the world's fair. Its proportions are such that the company will have a fully furnished office beneath the seat of the mammoth chair.

The figure of a miner carved from a block of Cœur d'Alene ore, mounted upon a pedestal of copper and lead or weighing many tons, will be a feature of Idaho's exhibit in the palace of Mines and Metallurgy at the world's fair. This unique statue will be contributed by the mine operators of the Coeur d'Alenes.

The largest punch bowl ever made will be exhibited in the Palace of Varied Industries at the world's fair. It weighs 134 pounds, and its cost in glass and labor alone is over \$1,800. The famous McKinley bowl, heretofore the greatest made, weighs 75 pounds.

Idaho will make an exhibit of minerals at the world's fair that will call attention to the state's wonderful resources. Her unrivaled exhibit of 200,000 opals is now overshadowed by the report that big discoveries of radium have recently been made. Executive Commissioner Hurtt is arranging for a display of this newest wonder.

### ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Meredosia, Jan. 15.—One afternoon recently quite a ripple of excitement was occasioned by the announcement that Mrs. Joel Blair, living about two and one-half miles south of the city had made an attempt to commit suicide. At the hour above given Dr. Estes was summoned with all possible speed to the bedside of Mrs. Blair and a hasty examination of her case revealed the fact that she had taken a sufficient quantity of carbolic acid to produce death, but by prompt and hard work the doctor succeeded in saving her life. It is rumored (and considerable credence is given to the rumor) that she swallowed the drug with suicidal intent. No cause for the rash act, if such it was, is known.

### DON'T WORRY.

This is easier said than done, yet it may be of some help to consider the matter. If the cause is something over which you have no control it is obvious that worrying will not help the matter in the least. On the other hand, if within your control you have only to act. When you have a cold and fear an attack of pneumonia, buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and use it judiciously and all cause for worry as to the outcome will quickly disappear. There is no danger of pneumonia when it is used, for sake by an druggist.

### THE GLORIES OF ARIZONA.

Arizona has already become attractive to both tourist and settler. The ozonized atmosphere of the plateaus imparts a wonderful feeling. The color tones of the sky and distant mountain peaks, the deep translucent auras and pearl gray touches in the clear vault of heaven and the wonderful purple tones of the distant hill all have more charm for the traveler than the clear sky of the Sahara, the balmy air of the Nile or the dreamy sunlight of the shores of the Mediterranean.

This section of our great country, hidden within the vast stretches of Uncle Sam's domain, 1,200 miles from the nearest seaport, nearly surrounded by mountain ranges, separated from California by a desert, was the last to admit American civilization. But it has come. Its mineral wealth is being developed. Its fertile valleys are being tilled. Its uplands are swarming with horses, cattle and sheep. Progress in population and development and resources are so remarkable that the outlook is indeed bright for a prosperous and happy future under a state form of government.—Business Woman's Magazine.

Gas Meters For Savings.

Many of the poorer classes, as is well known, have a rooted objection to public savings banks in any shape or form and prefer to keep their little hoard concealed in a stocking or even the dust bin rather than intrust it to the postoffice. Of late years the penny-in-the-slot gas meters have become quite a popular receptacle for surplus funds in the east end of London. Instead of putting in a penny the plan is to drop in two shilling pieces or, failing that coin, a penny together with a shilling or sixpence. When the collector comes around he only takes the money to the value of the amount of gas consumed and hands back the balance to the householder.

There are said to be several streets in Whitechapel where all the Christmas boxes were purchased out of the money put aside in the gas meters. The weak point of the penny-in-the-slot savings bank is that there is no means of properly checking one's account. One must trust the collector implicitly.—London Tatler.

Russia Dominates Asia.

There can be no doubt that Russia has been holding the "whip hand" over China and in general the whole of central Asia as far south as the Indian border—ruler in substance, if not in name—quietly pushing forward to consummate her gigantic schemes for political and commercial dominance in Asia.

Already her traders, her spies, her military officials and diplomats have threaded the wilds of Turkistan and even Tibet and hitherto other inaccessible regions of central Asia, sowing sedition in one spot, conciliating the native tribes in another, blinding the Chinese government and the world at large as to her real intent, each and every step a part of a carefully thought out and prearranged plan, formulated years ago in Russian chancelleries, to undermine British influence, which is the only barrier liable to obstruct Russian policy.—W. C. Jameson Reid in Gunton's Magazine.

### The Latest Trick.

Some time ago a rumor went round that astute publishers had in their pay a large number of the most attractive diners out. Your neighbor at table would lead the conversation to the latest novel, quite the easiest of conversational openings between strangers who lay their heads together over the menu and have to entertain each other for an hour. You are interested in the description of the book of the hour, you are a little ashamed of not having read it, and, going home, you sit down and order the book—from the circulating library. Every publisher, every theater manager, every deviser of patent medicine, knows that the advice of a friend is a more concentrated and personal pull than the opinion of a critic from the empyrean. And if the idea was ever carried out it deserved to succeed. But no one ever spotted the paid diner out. There was the artistry of the thing.—London Daily Chronicle.

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Chicago, ex. Sunday	1:12 pm
Chicago, Peoria	5:45 pm
For Chicago	6:30 pm
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For St. Louis	1:30 pm
C. & A.	1:30 pm
For Kansas City	10:05 am
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## A Dull Month

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## WEIHL'S

## City and County

Mrs. Frank Head, Sr., has returned from Alton where she went to attend the funeral of her sister.

\$1 quality shirts now 69c at GARLAND & CO.

P. D. Trotter and daughter, Miss Lena Trotter, of Sinclair, were Friday visitors in the city.

Nothing like it. Claus' Tea Co.'s cafe Java coffee. Only 20c pound.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Doan and Miss Kathleen Easter have gone to Miami, Fla. to spend several months.

Great bargains in lace curtains. Read Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie's ad.

Geo. Conover and sister, of Virginia, who are attending Illinois college, will spend Sunday at their home.

Hale, phones 74, Athens coal.

Mrs. Mollie Safford, of Paris, has arrived in the city to visit her sick sister, Mrs. G. Skidmore at Passavant hospital.

Knoles will make it pay you well to invest in some of his clothing.

Cassell Bros. have treated their Indian to a new coat of paint which makes him big Injun look very smart and snarly.

Mrs. John McLaughlin, of Winchester, who has been visiting her son, Eli McLaughlin, 332 Diamond street, returned home Thursday.

Try an overcoat at Knoles. You will find it good and cheap.

Ed Leach, of Scott county was among visitors in the city yesterday.

L. S. Doane has returned from a successful business trip to Colorado.

Don't forget to order cake to day at Vickery & Merrigan's.

Dr. Robert Buckthorpe who was injured by falling from his bicycle eight weeks ago is still disabled as he cannot raise his left arm to any extent.

Dressed chickens, Franz Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jefferson, Jr., and Mr. W. W. Jefferson, who played in "The Rivals" at the Grand last evening, are guests at the Pacific hotel.

Prompt delivery at Franz Bros. grocery. Both phones.

Dr. J. L. Harvey and daughter, Miss Florence Harvey, of Griggsville, who were here to attend the meeting of the physicians of the Sixth councilor district returned home Friday.

R. F. Glosup, of Franklin, was a business visitor in the city Friday. See Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie's ad.

Miss Ellen Russel has returned from a visit with friends in Griggsville.

Corn, oats, hay and straw in any quantity. Harrigan Bros., No. 9, either phone.

James Crawley, of Curran, spent Friday in the city on business interests.

Nothing like it. Claus' Tea Co.'s cafe Java coffee. Only 20c pound.

W. S. Elmhie has in his possession a passport given his father, John Elmhie, May 5, 1865, by F. W. Ring, consul at Aspinwall. Mr. Elmhie was returning from California about that time and the son supposes the document was issued his father while the latter was crossing the isthmus.

Bargains in clothing at Knoles.

M. O. Mathews, of Joy Prairie, was among business visitors in the city yesterday.

Dr. Swope, of Arenzville, was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

For pure extracts go to Nat. T. Co. Mrs. W. L. Alexander expects to leave for Chicago Saturday evening with indisposition something akin to the grip, but happily it is not serious.

If you want any winter clothing, now is your chance at Knoles.

E. F. Johnston yesterday sold for \$50 to Mr. Wagner, of Sinclair, a Jersey cow that will be two years old until the middle of April. He stated that he has often sold Jerseys that were good milkers before they were eighteen months old, and they always bring a good price. At this rate it would seem that raising Jersey cows is more profitable than raising beef cattle.

Prompt delivery at Franz Bros. grocery. Both phones.

Wm. Buchanan, A. A. Curry and James Hall, of Pisgah, were Friday visitors in the city.

Mr. Woodward and daughter, Miss Celia, both of Virginia, were trading in the city yesterday.

The 69c SHIRT SALE still continues at GARLAND & CO.

Now is your chance at Knoles.

The Economic Exhibition will be held next week at Champaign. Mrs. Edward Lang will discuss the "Adjustment of Expenditure to Income." The chairman for the Round Table must also be elected.

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1.25 and 1.50 gowns	98c	1.50 and 2.00 skirts	119c
1.50 and 1.75 gowns	\$1.19	35c drawers	23c
2.00 gowns	1.39	50c drawers	39c
2.50 gowns	1.69	75c drawers	59c
25c and 35c corset covers	19c	\$1.00 drawers	69c
75c corset covers	49c	50c Skirts	98c
50c Skirts	35c	1.25 drawers	98c
75c skirts	49c	1.50 drawers	\$1.19

Table Linen Values—2 $\frac{1}{2}$  yard lengths. Look over these remnants for bargains.

Towels—12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c towels 8c. 25c towels 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c.

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## WOMAN'S CLUB.

The adjourned session of the annual meeting of the Woman's club will be held in the chapel of the Woman's college this afternoon, Jan. 1, at 2:30 o'clock. The proposed amendment to the constitution providing for the beginning of the club year in May did not pass, and consequently the election of officers will take place at the adjourned session. The nominating committee will, as usual, propose a date and nominations from the floor will be in order.

## DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

Following the meeting of the Woman's club the Domestic Science Round Table will meet with Miss Katherine Cole in the Woman's college. Miss Effie Race will consider "The Economic Exhibition," to be held next week at Champaign. Mrs. Edward Lang will discuss the "Adjustment of Expenditure to Income." The chairman for the Round Table must also be elected.

## SHOE SALE

We continue our cut prices on our entire stock of shoes.

\$5.00 shoes for \$3.50
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\$3.50 shoes for \$2.75
\$3.00 shoes for \$2.25
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\$1.00 shoes for 79c
75c shoes for 59c

This is a rare opportunity to secure new goods at these money saving prices.

## HOFFMAN BROS.

OLD MONEY.

In looking over some old papers recently T. Crouse found a two dollar bill dated Dec. 7, 1765, making it over 128 years old. The face of the bill reads as follows: This bill of two dollars shall entitle the bearer hereof to receive gold or silver at the rate of four shillings and sixpence per dollar for said bill, according to a resolve of provincial convention of Maryland held in the city of Annapolis, the 7th day of December, 1775. It measures three by five inches, scant measure. The back of the bill has so faded as to be unintelligible. The Ss and Ts, according to the old style. Mr. Crouse prizes the old relic very highly.—Murrayville correspondent to Manchester Star.

## SPECIAL SERMONS.

At the Christian church on Sunday evening the pastor will begin a series of sermons on "Last Things." Subject of the first—The Second coming of Christ.

The sermonette is used in all

## PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Thos. Swain, deceased; J. M. Hart and J. W. Brown executors. Final report approved.

Estate of A. P. Smith, deceased; Ophelia Galbraith and Kate S. Bryns executrices. Report approved.

Estate of Lena Wintler, deceased; Petition of J. J. Wintler for appointment of guardian. Allowed, bond \$600.

Conservatorship of Homer A. Van Winkle; Alex Van Winkle conservator. Report approved.

Estate of Mary Ann Reid, deceased; Petition of Anna Reid for probate of will. Hearing set for Feb. 8.

Guardianship of Stephen DeOrnelas, a minor; petition for letters of guardianship allowed, bond fixed at \$600.

Estate of Geo. Ohlenslager, deceased; petition of J. J. Sharp for guardianship. Allowed and letters ordered.

Estate of Henry Ricks, Wm. Batz administrator. Appraisal bill and widow's award of \$1,211 approved.

Estate of Hannah Hill, deceased; petition of Fannie Headen for probate of will. Heard and allowed, bond \$5,000.

Estate of J. S. Samuel, deceased; Henrietta Samuel executrix. Report approved.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

A. W. Stewart to W. J. Lucas, part 1/2, nw, nw, 29-15-10; \$2,000.

J. C. Fairbank to M. O. Mathews, 40 acres in 29-16-11; \$2,861.50.

F. G. Farrell, executor, to N. T. Wadsworth, part 104,

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2-lb. can beans or blackberries ..... 25c  
2-lb. can asparagus ..... 25c  
3-lb. can stringless beans ..... 10c  
3-lb. cans baked pork and beans to-  
mato sauce ..... 10c  
2-lb. can fancy Jumbo peans ..... 25c  
3-lb. cans Sweet Wrinkled peans ..... 25c  
3-lb. cans seedless raisins ..... 25c  
3-lb. cans tomatoes 25c, 12 cans for. 85c  
1 gal. strained pumpkins ..... 25c  
1 gal. can fancy tomatoes ..... 35c  
1 gal. can peach butter ..... 35c  
1 gal. can pure maple syrup ..... 1.00  
1 quart can maple syrup ..... 25c  
English walnuts and soft shell al-  
monds, lb. ..... 20c  
Pancake mixed nuts (all new), lb. ..... 20c  
New pecans, dates and figs ..... 20c  
Pancake cluster raisins, lb. ..... 20c  
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MR. RAINEY'S SPEECH.

The Courier acknowledges the receipt of a copy of a paper containing the speech of Hon. H. T. Rainey at the recent Jackson banquet. Unfortunately our neighbor fails to publish the address, which contains some interesting reading. Of course, Mr. Rainey pays marked attention to the Republican party, which he severely denounces, and foretells the triumph of the opposition this year and many good things to follow from it. This is the way he does up Gorman:

"It will not do to present a candidate whose only claim to recognition is that he has made no active enemies in the state of New York. The party has the right to know how he stands upon the great questions of the day. Upon this important matter the country has been kept in dense ignorance up to the present time."

The man who is selected as our candidate this year ought to be a man who has not been too prominently identified with the corporate interests of the country. He must be in a position to sympathize with the men who toil. A man who reaches out from the senate of the United States and seeks to throttle the isthmian canal and to place the party in a position of opposition to something everybody wants is hardly qualifying himself to occupy a position as a candidate for the presidency. A candidate for the presidency must be above the suspicion of attempting to protect the interests of our transcontinental railroads."

This is rather severe on the man who had strength enough to take the national Democratic convention where he wanted it to meet. Then, too, such utterances as Mr. Rainey persists in making about the Panama canal. It is strange that he and the Courier should be so wide apart on that subject, for he is the Democratic representative from this district. He pays his compliments to Cleveland thus:

"The fact that a man has been twice elected to the presidency does not particularly commend him as a candidate for a third term. I am inclined to the opinion that when such a man says he is not a candidate he ought to be taken at his word and the matter so far as he is concerned ought to be considered closed."

The only man the Democracy has been able to elect once and count in once with the help of the Butler votes of New York since 1856 should hardly receive such cavalier treatment.

The harmony dinner, which was heralded far and wide and which was attended by many of the party's great men, failed to meet Mr. Rainey's favor. It shows the beautiful (?) harmony now prevailing in the Democratic party. He says of it:

"And so at the present time dinners at Sherry's—the labored efforts of interested party leaders to land on the right side—long meaningless letters from possible presidential candidates and their friends—all these things combine to produce in the mind of the casual observer the impression that after two great national defeats the grand old party lies still dormant."

YATES' CANDIDACY FAVORED

Springfield Journal: With the first movement made in Sangamon county in behalf of the candidacy of Governor Yates for renomination it was evident to the Republicans of the county that his candidacy is favored and supported by many of the best and most influential men in the party.

That was made apparent when publicity was first given to the names of those composing the Yates invitation committee which issued the invitations to the meeting in the opera house to be addressed by the governor next Monday evening. That committee is not composed of office holders or place hunters. It is not made up of politicians. It includes in its membership some of the most prominent business men and citizens of Springfield, who are above all suspicion of being influenced by self-interest in espousing the cause of Governor Yates, and it is admitted even by the political opponents of the executive that this committee is the strongest and most thoroughly representative of the best elements of the party in this city and county that ever has been seen.

It is evident that the cause of Governor Yates has been openly espoused by the committee before the primaries in this county.

PNEUMONIA AND LA GRIPPE  
By Dr. J. W. Davenport, M. D., Jacksonville, Ill.  
Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon.  
Sole Proprietor of the Davenport  
Homeopathic Dispensary.

## FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

Open Sets of China.

China in open stock sets is one of the conveniences of the present day. The increasing prevalence of the course dinner and the practice of using several varieties of china for its service are largely responsible for the change. A woman who some years ago purchased a handsome dinner set now feels that if she used it alone she would make a poor showing before her guests, says the Louisville Courier Journal.

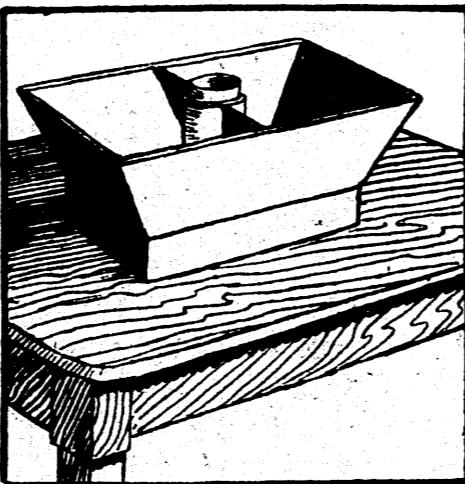
Different plates are used for every course. The service plates are of a simpler and more substantial design than those for the dessert, and the after dinner coffee is served in cups as delicate as can be found. In the larger establishments dinner is served from the butler's pantry. Many of the dishes used in a simpler menage, where the roast and its accompaniments are placed on the table, are not required in the former case. The needs of the different housekeepers are as varied as the houses in which they live.

It is no more expensive to have several different kinds of china than to have all the pieces alike. Open sets have made this possible. Within the last five years these have increased in size and number. Now there is practically no style of china that cannot be bought in open stock.

A set of china which the merchant keeps on hand and from which his customer makes her selections is much more complete than the one he would have formerly sold her entire. He is prepared to suit all tastes and meet all needs. He has teapots in all sizes, chocolate pots equally varied and sugar bowls and creamers to match. A woman with a large, small or medium family finds the set size she requires.

It is also possible to replace any piece of china. The housekeeper is not, as in the old days, heartbroken over the loss of a dish. It can easily be duplicated.

**A Dishpan Novelty.**  
The thrifty housewife who believes that cleanliness is next to godliness and tries to conduct her home and affairs on that principle will doubtless hail with joy the advent of a self-heating dishpan. With this new idea there should be no such thing as the replenishing of warm water in the washing



THE NEW STYLE DISHPAN.

of dishes, and, in addition, there is provision for rinsing water at the very elbow of the dishpan.

The new pan, upon which a patent has just been taken out, consists of a metal vessel constructed according to the design shown in the accompanying picture. Across its center is a partition which is designed to separate the pan into compartments, in one of which the entire washing of the dirty dishes is done, and in the other the rinsing is performed.

Situated in the center of the partition is a receptacle for a firepot, which performs its functions while the operation of washing is going on. Thus the water on both sides is kept warm, and there is no danger of its cooling while the process is under way.

**Celery With Carrot Balls.**  
A nice way to use up odds and ends of celery: Cut in short pieces and boil in slightly salted water until tender. Have same amount of carrots cut into little balls with vegetable cutter. Boil them in separate saucepan of salted water. When done, drain and mix with drained celery. Add a cup of hot milk, thicken with a level tablespoonful of flour and one of butter rubbed together. Season to taste with salt, pepper and a tiny grating of nutmeg. Let boil five minutes; then serve. If you have a spoonful or two of green peas or string beans left over, add these, and you have an attractive vegetable dish.

**Cream Sauce For Pudding.**  
Beat a piece of butter the size of an egg with powdered sugar until it is a light cream. Set to one side. Put a cup of boiling water into a small saucepan and stir into it one teaspoonful of flour mixed with a little cold water. Cook until clear, smooth and the consistency of thin starch. Take up the bowl containing the butter and sugar mixture and while one beats it energetically, let another pour into it, slowly and evenly, the hot flour sauce. If the beating is not interrupted the whole sauce will rise in a light, foamy froth. Season with sherry, vanilla, nutmeg or brandy, as preferred.

**Managing an Oil Stove.**  
First—Select one made by a good firm.

Second—Use good oil.

Third—Trim the wicks evenly.

Fourth—Have every part of the stove free from oil or grease of any kind.

Fifth—Turn the wicks rather low for the first few minutes, then as far as you can without smoking. The oven will take about fifteen minutes to heat. If these limits are followed these little precautions will insure a real boom in a home.

## HOUSEKEEPERS TO MEET

State Conference to Be Held at  
University of Illinois Soon.

A housekeepers' conference is to be held at the University of Illinois next week in connection with the state corn growers and livestock raisers and domestic science associations. It will be a big week at the university, all the associations interested in these subjects having united to hold a general conference there. The housekeepers' conference will be in innovation. It will be held under the direction of the Illinois Association of Domestic Science and with the co-operation of the household science department of the state university. It is open and free to all interested in the affairs of the home and all are cordially invited to attend.

The home economic exhibit, which has attracted much attention in Chicago, Ithaca and Boston, has been secured for the conference. Some of the latest and best labor-saving devices will also be on exhibition, as well as the literature of home economics.

The program for the conference will be as follows:

MONDAY.  
The Garden on the Farm, from the Standpoint of Health, Profit and Pleasure—Mr. J. W. Lloyd, professor of horticulture.

A Word of Welcome—Miss Isabel Bevier, professor of household science.

TUESDAY.  
Domestic Science at the Soldiers' Orphans' home—Mrs. Mary E. McCauley, Normal, Ill.

Household Entomology—Prof. S. A. Forbes, state entomologist.

Uses of Corn Products, Demonstration—Mrs. G. C. Sober, instructor in household science.

Discussion—Miss Bevier.

WEDNESDAY.

Fruit Canning—Mrs. Eugenie Davenport, The Dairy and its Products—Mr. J. W. Fraser, chief in dairy industry; Mr. J. W. Hart, instructor in dairy manufactures.

Vegetable: Place and Use in the Diet—Miss Charlotte Gibbs and Miss Elizabeth McClure.

THURSDAY.

What Domestic Science Can do for Our Girls—Mrs. Noble King, Bloomington.

Bacteria and Domestic Science—Dr. T. J. Burrill, professor of botany and horticulture.

How to Judge Cloth: Cleaning, Dyeing, Care of—Mrs. Sober.

Standards in Bread—Miss Bevier.

Every Day Life in the Kitchen—Mrs. Dunlap Risner, Kankakee.

House Planning—Professor J. M. White, professor of architectural engineering.

Quick Breads: Digestibility and Food Value: Demonstration and Discussion—Miss Ida Pierson and Miss Anna Reihl.

Baking Powder—Mrs. Edna D. Day.

MONDAY, JAN. 25.

Idealistic Housekeeping—Mrs. Harry Grundy, Morrisonville, Ill.

Contagious Diseases—Dr. George T. KeKemp, professor of physiology.

Economic Selection of Meat—H. M. Mumford, professor of animal industry.

Demonstration of same—Mrs. Sober.

TUESDAY.

Vegetable—Mrs. H. M. Dunlap, of Savoy, Ill.

Safe ate in the House—Dr. A. W. Palmer, professor of chemistry.

Chemistry of the Cooking of Meats—Dr. H. S. Grindley, associate professor of chemistry.

Demonstration—Miss Sprague.

WEDNESDAY.

Domestic Science Work in Illinois—Mrs. Joseph Carter, Champaign.

Plumbing and Plumbin Fixtures—Prof. Cyrus D. McLane, assistant professor of architectural construction.

Food Equivalents, Discussion—Miss Revier.

Demonstration—Mrs. Sober.

THURSDAY.

Keeping Up the House—Mrs. S. A. Forbes, Urbana.

Household Finance—Mrs. Clara J. Porter, Champaign.

Meat Cutting Demonstration—Animal department.

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**City and County**

Hale, phones 74, Athens coal. The new romantic drama, "When Louis XI Was King" will be seen here for the first time at the Grand, presented by its author, William Owen. Mr. Owen will be remembered as having given a highly artistic and pleasing performance of "The School for Scandal" here last season. His principal support, as in former years is J. W. McConnell.

For the best coffee go to Nat. T. Co. The Home Missionary society of Centenary church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Wharton on West North street and had a pleasant and profitable meeting. Nice refreshments were served by the amiable hostess and all enjoyed the time not a little.

ILLUSTRATED SONGS AND MOVING PICTURES AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH TUESDAY, JAN. 19. ADMISSION 10 and 20cts.

STATE BANKS HAVE GROWN

The state auditor yesterday issued a recapitulation of the condition of the state banks of Chicago at the opening of business Dec. 30, 1903, accompanying it with a recapitulation of condition of Chicago state bank on Dec. 22, 1902, the date of the last call of that year. An increase of eight banks from twenty-eight to thirty-one is shown. Its sources grew to \$279,208.75, from \$254,132,901, an increase of \$25,599.56. Loans and discounts Dec. 30, this year, were \$156,582,458, an increase of \$15,600,849. A most notable increase is shown in the amount of bonds other than United States held by these banks. In 1902 they aggregated \$45,530,337 and in 1903 \$51,612,193. Other items of repute show immaterial changes. Liabilities to the bank stock has grown from \$2,500,000 to \$25,550,000. The surplus fund shows an increase of \$2,567,066. Savings deposits grew. There was a falling off in individual demand deposit from \$81,346,649 in 1902 to \$79,910,914.

Malaga grapes at Vickery & Merrigan's.

**GUILTY OF CONTEMPT**

Springfield, Ill., January 15.—Justice of the Peace Frank E. Early and Constables Gambrel and Johnson have been found guilty of contempt by a jury in the Sangamon county circuit court. Judge Owen P. Thompson presided. The contempt charged was in the issuance by Justice Early of a writ for the seizure of gambling paraphernalia which had been taken from a storeroom by order of the circuit court. This writ was issued and served by Constables Gambrel and Johnson, in defiance of the order of the circuit court.

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**HANDSOME CALENDARS**

The young ladies of the Jacksonville high school have issued a very handsome 1904 calendar which they will put on sale to day. The proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the athletic association of the high school. The calendar is put together in leaflet form with bright red cover. On the outside of the cover is a kodak picture of the high school building and each leaf of the calendar is illustrated in a similar manner with some feature of high school life. The illustrations are all very clear and distinct and the calendar is a beautiful souvenir that will no doubt meet with a ready sale.

Prompt delivery at Franz Bros' grocery. Both 'phones.

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**SIGNALPHONE SYSTEM**

E. E. Salsbury, representing the Signalphone company of Milwaukee, was in the city yesterday exhibiting the fire and police alarm system manufactured by his company. He was here by invitation of the mayor and a special committee of the city council consisting of Aldermen Vaught, Hildreth and McGinnis. The system was installed in the council chamber of the city hall and is a unique service combining a system that is simple in operation and at the same time comprehensive. A fire-alarm turned in from one of the signalphone boxes in the city rings a gong in the fire department and also rings the general alarm bell, sending at the same time a still alarm to the police headquarters giving the location, etc. of the fire and this process is repeated four times. By opening the box a policeman or other officer can communicate with the central station by means of a telephone and in this instance the fire department is not connected. If a policeman and the night captain wish to communicate with one another at a mutually arranged time by opening the box and calling the central station a connection can be established between the two boxes, the central station acting as central in a telephone exchange.

The system will be on exhibition this morning, and anyone interested can call at the city hall and see just how it is arranged. Mr. Salsbury is a friend of Geo. W. Clark of this city and it was through him that the committee learned of Mr. Salsbury and the system he is introducing.

Nothing like it. Claus' Tea Co.'s new Java coffee. Only 20c pound.

**SOUTH SIDE CIRCLE.**

The South Side Reading circle met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Griswold on South Main street and enjoyed a musical program with Mrs. J. C. Goltra in charge. Mrs. Griswold was assisted in the social part of her duties by Mrs. David Reid and Miss Mamie Melton. Excellent refreshments were a much enjoyed feature of the afternoon. The musical numbers were all rendered in a finished manner showing the performers to be superior in the various efforts essayed by them. The following was the program:

A Shepherd's Tale..... Nevin Miss Hayden.

The Nightingale..... Nevin

Lo a Wild Rose..... MacDowell

Twas a Lover and His Lass..... Nevin

Francis V. Melton.

Slumber Song..... Newcomer

Mrs. Vasey.

Absent..... Metcalf

Mrs. Johnson.

Caprice..... Wilson G. Smith

Miss Melton.

A Daydream..... Blumenthal

Mrs. Thomas.

Selection from Bohemian Girl..... Bach

Mrs. Hunton.

The Swallows..... Cowen

Mrs. Johnson.

Only Thee..... White

Miss Hayden and Mrs. Thomas.

Mazeppa..... Quigland

Mrs. Vasey and Mrs. Hunton.

Hearts Light as Air..... Wekerlin

Miss Hayden, Mrs. Vasey, Mrs. Goltra.

STEREOPTICON ENTERTAINMENT AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH TUESDAY NIGHT, JAN. 19. ADMISSION 10 and 20cts.

LOWDEN SPRAINS AN ANKLE

Cairo, Ill., January 15.—Col. Frank R. Lowden of Chicago, candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, addressed a meeting at the courthouse Thursday. Col. Lowden sprained his ankle at Coulterville yesterday morning, so that he is scarcely able to bear his weight upon it. Consequently, in speaking to-night he sat upon a table instead of standing.

Dressed chickens, Franz Bros'.

**A FINE ITINERARY**

Places Visited by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliott and Son While Abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliott and son William, recently returned from Europe, had a delightful tour and saw many places of interest while absent. They sailed Oct. 16 on the Celtic of the White Star line. The vessel was 20,000 ton burden and was fitted up in the highest style, while everything possible was done for the safety and comfort of the passengers. No especial effort was made to accomplish a fast trip, eight days being consumed in the journey from New York to Liverpool, but all the while there was a feeling of security which was very pleasant. Aboard were several titled sons of England, but after all they were only men and counted for more than an ordinary person who was intelligent and conducted himself as a gentleman should. After reaching Liverpool a hasty look was taken of the great commercial metropolis and then Chester was sought. This is an ancient walled city containing within its bounds a cathedral which has many historic associations and is very fine. At Lincoln, the next place visited, was another great cathedral, which seemed even more imposing than the one first seen and more elaborately furnished within. Both the places of worship were of the Gothic style of architecture, but at Ely was one of the Norman type and it seemed even more grand than any yet seen. The great metropolis, London, was the next attraction and arriving there the party set out for Windsor, the abode of royalty, and had a splendid drive through the magnificent grounds, calling to mind the many illustrious personages who had made that place their habitation in times past. Entrance was unobtainable owing to the fact that the rooms were being prepared for the reception of the royal family of Italy and were in the hands of the mechanics and artists. At Hampton Court they saw the great palace of a thousand rooms with spacious galleries of art and grand corridors. There William and Mary lived, and there, too, is the famous large vine which bears such an abundance of luscious fruit. Next to London for a while, though of course it would take many weeks to get even a glimpse of the wonders and attractions of the mighty place containing its millions of inhabitants, so after a short time the party wended its way to Paris, the gay capital of the French nation, and there revelled in the magnificent attractions of the places of wealth and art. They spent some time in the Louvre, which has such a quantity of lovely and wonderful articles to enjoy. The works of art are numerous and the museum of antiquities is enough to keep one fascinated for many days. French is the language spoken almost universally at that place, but our friends were able to get along with a guide book and a little assistance from the attendants. Versailles was, of course, a place to be visited, for there it was that the final scenes of the conflict between France and Germany were enacted. There royalty had sported and there, too, sacrilegious soldiers had trampled with muddy boots among the treasures which had required many years and vast sums of money to collect. On every hand the world is reminded of the description of war given by General Sherman and nothing could be nearer the truth. The grounds of this place are lovely beyond description, though laid out by line and rule and exact in all particulars, giving a shock to one accustomed to the primitive grandeur of our native land. Versailles is now much given to a national museum and contains a great deal that is of interest to the thoughtful person.

**MADE CASHIER**  
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Southward the party next wended its way to Avignon made famous by the residence of illustrious persons. It was there that one of the popes made his home when caused to leave the eternal city and the papal palace is still pointed out and is in fine structure, though it is now used as barracks for soldiers. The lovely gardens are well kept up and made attractive. From an eminence here there is a view which is extra fine and attracts many. It commands a sight of the river spanned by a bridge erected by the Romans many hundreds of years ago, while beyond the stream is a feudal castle which has a history known probably to few if any of the present generation. The hotel at which the party stayed was once the home of a cardinal and all about were many things of interest. To Marseilles, the busy metropolis of the nation's business, our friends next went and after enjoying its attractions for a short time proceeded to Nice in the southern part of the country and found there a fine winter resort, as the climate is quite mild. It is located in an amphitheater of mountains on the bank of the sea and abounds in oranges, palm trees and other growths peculiar to such a climate. Monte Carlo, the great gambling resort, was visited, though it is unnecessary to add that our friends took no part in the games which were being conducted there to trap the unwary. Everything was orderly and it had the appearance of a place of business more than anything else. Sunny Italy, with her clear skies, historic places and wonderful attractions, next claimed the attention of the wanderers, who enjoyed a magnificent drive of twenty-four miles on the Corniche road to Mentone among the mountains and a great distance above the level of the sea. Here was a superb view of the country all about and here the party spent no little time taking in the wonders and attractions of that fascinating place. San Remo on the coast, Riviera and Milan came in order named and in the last-named place they sought the world-renowned picture of the Last Supper by Vinci. It is on the wall of the refectory of a convent and much marred by sacrilegious hands in time of war, but it will always have great attractions for those who have a love for sacred things and a reverence for true art. The great cathedral here is a magnificent structure and sought by all who visit the place. The church of Ambrosiana, too, is of no little note, for it is said that St. Augustine was baptized in it. Verona, the ancient, medieval town was sought, for to the members of the party, all of whom were versed in history, this place had deep significance. The place is but little changed and the works of the ancient Romans abound on every hand. A great amphitheater is wonderfully well preserved and there are other attractions.

Of course, a trip to that country without visiting Venice would be out of the question, so thither they bent their steps to enjoy a sight of the historic structures, ride in a gondola, see the Doges' palace, St. Mark's and other well-known places. Florence, the seat of art, was next sought with its Pitti palace, famous pictures and other wonderful things and then the eternal city was visited. Of course, there was no attempt to do this thoroughly, though many places made interesting in the world's history were seen. Mr. Elliott had been there before and said the progress was remarkable and he predicted that one day it would have an immensely greater business than it now enjoys. St. Peter's was of course visited, the Appian way, the Alban mountains and many villas and country seats of wealthy persons. To one who had read Latin in college this place was truly fascinating and it was hard to get away. Naples with its smoking Vesuvius was enjoyed and the travelers walked through the deserted streets of Pompeii and below they had the pleasure of a visit to Paestum, the ruins of the famous Greek temples which are wonderfully well preserved. Gateways, walls and all are there and the structures, one to Neptune, one to Ceres and the basilica, silently tell a story of ages gone by. A drive by a winding road along the coast, much of the way the path hewn out of the solid rock, was interesting. There were terraces on which earth had been gathered and here lemon trees flourished. Over the mountains into Sorrento and to the Island of Capri, with its famous blue grotto and places of interest, and back to Naples, where they sailed for home Dec. 23 on the Cunard steamer Carpathia, 13,600 tons. A few hours at Algiers and a visit to the mosque, the Arab quarters and other places was indeed a novel change. Unfortunately they passed Gibraltar in the night and were unable to see that wonderful city which commands the entrance to the great sea. The passage home occupied fifteen days, as the weather was stormy and the passage was long, but the steamer was well supplied with the comforts of life and the time was well employed in various ways.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott and their son all feel much improved by the trip and will remember it with pleasure for many years to come, and they are cordially welcomed home by their many friends.

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**20 Per Cent Off**

On TROUSERS  
Until Saturday, Jan. 16th

A good opportunity to help out your winter suit. Any price single trousers we have in stock from \$1.00 up to \$6.00 a pair go at a discount of 20 per cent.

**Worsted, Cassimere,  
Unfinished Worsted**

Trousers; all colors and black are included in this sale. We also include medium and light weights carried over from last season. It will pay you to buy at this sale. Youths' trousers and boys' knee pants at same discount.

**BROOK & STICE**  
12 West Side Square.**BIG CUT IN****Lace Curtains**

**WE Must Have Room. YOU Can Get the Benefit.**  
**Come Early for Best Bargains.**

Brussels Net.....	\$7.50 value.....	Sale price \$4.50
Irish Point.....	7.50 value.....	Sale price 4.47
Cable Net.....	8.00 value.....	Sale price 6.48
Cable Net.....	3.90 value.....	Sale price 2.70
Ruffled Net.....	2.25 value.....	Sale price 1.67
Nottinghams.....	2.90 value.....	Sale price 1.03
Nottinghams.....	1.60 value.....	Sale price 1.15
Ruffled Swiss.....	1.35 value.....	Sale price 95c

These are only a few of the many bargains we offer. Don't let this opportunity slip.

**The East Side House-Furnishers,  
Jacksonville, Illinois**

**JOHNSON, HACKETT & GUTHRIE**

**THE SALE OF MUSLINS**

Includes ready made sheets and pillow cases

**The Sale of White Goods**

Includes 125 pieces new and beautiful mercerized waistings

**Another Week of Low Prices on Cottons**

Heavy purchases of Muslins, Cambrics, Wide Sheetings and various Cotton Fabrics, made by us six months ago, enable us to offer you this week all the popular brands of cottons at less than present wholesale cost.

**Stock Clearing Sale Now On**

In making ready for our annual invoice of Feb. 1, we are finding some very desirable goods which we are willing to sell for less than what we paid for them.

**Last Call of Cloaks at 1/2 Price**

Some nobby styles, all this season's make, in ladies', misses' and children's cloth coats; all former prices marked in plain figures. For this sale they go at just ONE-HALF the regular price:

Choice of any \$26.00 coat now for.....	\$12.50
Choice of any \$20.00 coat now for.....	10.00
Choice of any \$15.00 coat now for.....	7.50
Choice of any \$10.00 coat now for.....	5.00

**Big Remnant Sale**

All the short lengths and remnants from the holiday rush are collected and marked very cheap for this week's buyers. 200 Remnants of Black and Colored Fine Wool Dress Goods. 400 Short Lengths of all kinds of Colored Cottons.

**Handsome Near Seal and Velour Jackets**

from a most reliable maker. Only a few left. One ladies' near seal coat, size 38; \$26.50 value; \$19.50. A \$33 black silk velour coat size 36, reduced to \$19.50. Near seal coat with real beaver collar and lapels and lined with Skinner's satin; our \$38 coat for \$24.

A \$39 elegant black



## THE MARKETS

RECEIPTS.

Chicago, Jan. 15 Wheat-Twenty-eight cars; estimated for tomorrow, forty cars.

Corn-Three hundred and nineteen cars; estimated for tomorrow, 256 cars.

Oats-One hundred and four cars; estimated for tomorrow, 120 cars.

RANGE OF PRICES-Closing.

	Wheat	Open	High	Low	Today	Yester.
May	... \$ 87	\$ 87	\$ 87	\$ 87	\$ 87	\$ 87
July	... 85	85	85	85	85	85
Corn	... 45	45	45	45	45	45
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July	... 47	47	47	47	47	47
Oats	... 40	40	40	40	40	40
May	... 40	40	40	40	40	40
July	... 37	37	37	37	37	37
Ribes	... 65	65	65	65	65	65
January	... 63	63	63	63	63	63
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Oats-Oats were active and advanced 3d/c, the latter on May. Close as at the top with net gain of 12¢/13c. Sales were good, buying heavy in bulk in terms, heavy covering by shorts and extensive taking of profits by longs. The latter caused several recessions from best prices, but buying continued until the close.

Re-Ship-ceipts. 2,000. Although the run was very small it was sufficient to meet demands. Receipts averaged poorly and sold slowly at weak prices. Good to prime, \$5.106/5.70; poor to medium, \$1.509/4.75; stockers, \$2.06/4.00; cows, \$1.50/6/4.00.

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Sheep-Receipts, 6,000. There was fairly active demand from all classes of buyers at prices recently paid. Sheep, \$3.00/6/4.90; lambs, \$4.25/6.25.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

St. Louis, Jan. 15-Wheat-Cash, 89½c; May, 84½/84¾c.

Corn-Cash, 43½c; May, 43½c.

Oats-Cash, 38c; May, 40½/40½c.

LIVESTOCK.

Cattle-Receipts, 800. Market steady. Beef steer, \$3.50/5.60; stockers and feeders, \$2.40/2.75; cows and heifers, \$2.25/4.15; Texas steers, \$2.35/4.65.

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Range, \$4.50/6.50.

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LIVERPOOL MARKET.

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Hogs-Receipts, 30,000. Trade fairly active, prices ruling 5¢/10¢ below yesterday's best time and about the same as the day before. Mixed lots butchered at \$4.706/4.95; good, 3d/c heavy, \$4.936/5.00; rough heavy, \$4.566/4.85; light, \$4.50/4.80; bulk of sales, \$4.70/4.90.

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INDICATIONS.  
Washington, Jan. 16.—For Illinois: Snow in the north, rain in the south portion; colder Saturday, Sunday fair, fresh to northwest winds.

CLASS OF '91 ENTERTAINED.  
The senior class of Illinois college was most delightfully entertained last evening by the class officer, Dr. F. S. Hayden, at his home on Grove street. A sumptuous course dinner was served at 6 o'clock, to which every senior did more than usual justice. After dinner the class repaired to the library, where the time passed all too rapidly with jokes, stories and reminiscences of college days. At a late hour the class departed, feeling a closer friendship and a stronger bond of fellowship uniting them to their officer. Those present were E. D. Martin, Melville Kennedy, Charles Barnes, E. P. Brockhouse, Newton Wylder, Walter Raleke, Arthur Ewert and B. F. Jane.

NEW YEAR SOCIAL.

The members of the Baraca class of the First Baptist church gave a most delightful social in the church parlors Friday evening and a large number were in attendance. The decorating committee, consisting of Mrs. Hamond, Arthur Henderson and Luther Lashmet, had very neatly decorated the rooms with flags and bunting for the occasion. The price of admission was fixed according to the height of each person, so many cents for each foot in height being charged. A telegram game afforded much amusement and the first prize went to Miss Nettie Evans. A musical program was listened to with great pleasure and consisted of instrumental numbers by Misses Josephine Chambers and Hazel Belle Long and Robert Boyd; a vocal selection by Misses Claribel Anderson and Marcella Stott, with accompaniment by Miss Helen Carter, piano, and Lee Paradise, clarinet.

Following the musical program came the auction sale of several so-called famous paintings and Jonas Lashmet as

auctioneer proved himself an old timer at this work. Each person was given a sack containing fifty beans, each bean the value of a dollar, and much enthusiasm marked the progress of the bidding which grew very spirited before all the articles were sold. A "Jack Horner" pie came in for the usual amount of amusement. During the latter part of the evening refreshments were served. The committee having charge of the arrangements were the social committee: Luther Lashmet, chairman, Barclay Wyckoff, Elmer Ellis and H. Thompson.

Hustlers' committee—Arthur Henderson, chairman, L. Curtis, Samuel Stevens, Frank Anderson and Lee Paradise.

The Baraca class has an average membership of about twenty-five men and much good work has been accomplished by them under the tuition of their efficient leader, Miss Laura Hamond.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Dr. W. F. Short will speak at the men's meeting at 4 p. m. Good music; good talk. All men are cordially invited.

The members of the association are indebted to Henderson & Depew for a gift of the new game Zoo for the amusement room.

A new feature of the association will be the social Saturday nights. So to night will be Zoo night for all; a new game now which promises to become very popular is Blow Pong.

The B. G. M. will be led by the physical director at 3 p. m. Gardner Wood will sing several solos.

POLICE NEWS.

George Kupert reported to Policeman Trahey yesterday that a damsel he had met had relieved him of \$27. He stated that he had offered strenuous objections to making this contribution, but that the lady had taken a poker and forced him into silence. Mr. Trahey began work on the case and felt sure that he had located the guilty one, but the complainant at the last moment was not willing to get out papers for an arrest.

RADIUM IN UTAH

A Large Deposit of Pitchblende  
Has Been Discovered in Utah  
and Specimens Will Be  
Exhibited at World's Fair.

Utah's state building at the world's fair is finished and was turned over to the commissioners Jan. 1.

S. T. Whittaker, the executive commissioner, has collected four car loads of agricultural products for exhibition and on Feb. 1 he expects to start an entire train load of articles for the exhibition. Every kind of grass and grain grown in Utah will be exhibited and 6,000 pounds of honey will be shown. A large amount of fruits and vegetables have been placed in preserving liquids and will be displayed in the Palace of Agriculture.

Utah's mining exhibit is expected to be one of the most interesting made by any state. Specimens of ore from the various mines of onyx, marble, decorating and building stone will be shown. A miniature concentrating plant is nearly finished and will be one of the interesting features of the mining section. Large deposits of pitchblende, from which radium is obtained, has been discovered in southern Utah and large quantities of this will be shown.

Druggists guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to anyone who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for grippe, colds, coughs, croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. For sale by all druggists.

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LOSE OUT.

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WENT WRONG.

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IS LOCKED UP.

Kansas City, Jan. 15.—A man giving the name of John Wengert, agent at Sioux Falls, S. D., for a brewing company, went to police headquarters to night and insisted on being locked up. He declares he is a defaulter and he has been placed in jail, but no word has been received from Sioux Falls.

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A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on the affected parts is better than a plaster for a lame back and for pains in the side or chest. Pain Balm has no superior as a liniment for the relief of stiff, ached, muscular and rheumatic pains. For all the

AT THE GRAND

The Rivals Given Artistic Pre-  
sentation by the Jeffersons  
and Company

Jacksonville people last night had the privilege of seeing Joseph and William Jefferson and supporting company in "The Rivals," and a privilege it was in truth. The Jeffersons are evidently "chips from the old block," and the interesting old comedy was given a very artistic rendition. "The Rivals" is a good old English comedy written a century or so ago by Richard Brinsley Sheridan. Timo has not served to mar its sprightliness and good humor and the lines seem more full of merriment to day than ever before. The elder Jefferson gave it for years with marked success, and Sol Smith Russell for a time attempted the role of "Bob Acres." It was really an all-star cast last night, as follows:

Sir Anthony ..... John Jack  
Captain Absoluted (under the assumed  
name of Beverly) ..... Guy Coombs  
Bob Acres ..... William W. Jefferson  
Sir Lucius O'Trigger ..... Joseph Jefferson, Jr.  
David ..... Percy Plunkett  
Faulkland ..... Walter Woodall  
Fag ..... Harry Oldin  
Mrs. Malypop ..... Folliot Paget  
Lydia Languish ..... Blanche Bender  
Lucy ..... Alleen Goodwin

There were no weak spots in the company and the work of each one was uniformly satisfactory. The Jeffersons are fortunate indeed in securing such support, for most of the names above are well known in the theatrical world. John Jack, who appeared as Sir Anthony, was for years with Mrs. Fiske prior to joining the company of Joseph Jefferson, Sr. His characterization of Sir Anthony is said to be the best ever given to the stage. Every member of the cast deserves special mention and the audience was enthusiastic and well pleased. An all-star cast gave us "The Rivals" Friday night and only words of commendation were heard for them.

WILLIS GRAY MEETS A RIOT.

Hong Kong, Jan. 15.—A riot is reported to have occurred on the Hankow-Canton railway, about 4,000 coolies participating in the disturbance. The United States consul here has telegraphed to United States Minister Conger at Pekin:

(This is the road of which Willis Gray, formerly of Bloomington, is superintendent.)

London, Jan. 15.—The London Times to day printed a dispatch from its Shanghai correspondent announcing that there was a continued deadlock in connection with the affairs of the Hankow-Canton railway. The Belgians are pressing for exclusive control of the northern section and it has ever been suggested that the entire American interest should be bought out. The shareholders apparently are agreeable to this proposition, but China declined to sanction any modification of the contract which would permit such a solution.

It was announced from Brussels Dec. 29 that the United States and Belgian interests in the Hankow-Canton railroad had signed an agreement by which these interests were to be separated and the railway divided into two sections, the Belgians to control the northern section and the Americans the southern section. The board of directors was to be composed of Belgians and Americans in equal proportions.

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FUNERALS.

GILL.  
The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Gill, of Lynnaville, died Thursday. The funeral was held Friday and interment was made in Lynnaville cemetery.

SONA.

The remains of Miss Lillian Sona who died at her home in St. Louis were brought here Friday morning and taken to the Gillham undertaking establishment. From there the cortège moved to Jacksonville cemetery, where burial took place. The service was conducted by Rev. A. B. Morey. The bearers were the same ones who officiated last Monday at the funeral of her mother, and were Charles Banta, John Lutkenmeyer, Joseph Preston, Charles Rose, Gus Graubner and Herman Weber.

Miss Sona is survived by her father, four sisters, Mrs. Louis Woolfolk, Mrs. Edward Wilson, Ruth and Viola, and three brothers, Walter, William and Alfred, all of St. Louis.

MYSTERY IN DROWNING CASE.

Carbondale, Ill., Jan. 15.—William Flynn, section foreman of the Illinois Central railroad at Ware station, was found drowned yesterday. The case is shrouded in considerable mystery.

The body was found in a creek only a few miles from Ware on the valley road, his son being foreman on that section.

Some distance from the trestle which spans the creek at that point his hat and cap were found and other articles of clothing were scattered on the creek bank. Flynn was 48 years old and leaves a family.

IMPROVEMENT BONDS.

Litchfield, Jan. 15.—At a special adjourned meeting of the city council an ordinance was passed providing for an issue of \$10,000 for investment bonds, to be made at once.

The money is to be used in paving additional streets, extending sewers and water mains. The improvements are necessary according to the agreement made with the American Radiator company, which will erect a large plant in this city next summer.

Great reductions in prices on entire stock of shoes at Hoffman Bros.

BOB SLED RIDE.

A party of twelve Whipple academy students enjoyed a delightful bob sled ride Friday evening under the chaperonage of Mrs. Clemmons of the Academy. They were Misses Taylor, Sykes, Rudin, Ellis, Huffman, Wilson, and Messrs. Wright, Sykes, Huffman, Gordon, Covington and Seerest.

STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

Detroit, Jan. 15.—A crowded Gratiot street car was struck by a Grand Trunk train this evening at a crossing, and though no one was killed outright, several of the thirty-four injured were seriously hurt, one at least, Miss C. Adams, may die.

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at clearing prices.

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were 10, 12 and 15c; will sell while they  
last at 7c.

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of remaining and old goods to close out  
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